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Dear Jim:

Can't figure a way for my "donation" to be a deductible expense. Had originally thought that if I published talk it would be a business venture. We'd put price on copies and then there would be a loss on the venture. Are donations to SouRegional Council deductible? If so, can I donate to it and it in turn pay you the same amount? Please check. Even if it is impossible, however, we still have a deal.

A have instructed my son Erik that he is to check in with you Monday -- tomorrow -- and ask you for a time at which he can log in with you once a week. This I know is an imposition on you but I am going to be unmannerly enough to make him do it anyway. I cannot let him go Mississippi.

What are dates, times on the Asheville meet? I am planning a long trip but hope to break it in the middle so as to attend the session and lead the claque for ole Silver/

Have had to stop reading the new Chronicle. A Birchite, hate Kennedy, hate nigger sheet. Nicholson made a pilgrimage to Jackson last week to kiss the Barnett ass and pledge allegience to bigotry Miss. style.

As usual,

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